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ANOTHER WAR CLOUD

The Russians Determined to Seize Herat.

And Massing Their Troops for That Purpose.

The Amer at Herat and in Good Condition.

Another Breeze from Russia.

LONDON, July 18.—The Russian Foreign Office has received information which shows conclusively that the Russians are determined on seizing Herat, and that the massing of Russian troops now going on at Zulfikar Pass is for that purpose. A cabinet council is now being held. The Russo-Afghan boundary question is the subject of the cabinet's consideration.

The Amer in Good Spirits.

LONDON, July 18.—The proclamation of the Amer of Afghanistan, announcing the receipt by him of the decoration of the "Star of India," and declaring that he was now entitled to aid from the Indian army if necessary, was issued at Herat. The Amer in his proclamation ordered the illumination of Herat, to celebrate his investiture with the order.

Western Union Office Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.—The operating room of the Western Union Telegraph Company was burned at 1:25 this morning and the connections in all directions destroyed.

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.—A fire broke out about 2 o'clock this morning in operating room of the Western Union Telegraph Company, on the fourth floor of the Mutual Life Insurance building, 10th and Chestnut streets. In a comparatively short time the entire room was burned, chairs, table and instruments, including duplex and quadruplex instruments of considerable value, being destroyed.

A handsome and valuable switch board was also destroyed. Only a few of the operators were on duty at the time, and after seeing in an alarm they made haste to escape from the room. The prospects at noon are that the company will be able in a few hours to handle the business. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an electric spark carried into the office wire which had come in contact with the electric light wire. Many of the company's wires connecting with other cities do not enter the main office, but work directly from the principal branch office at Third and Chestnut streets, and business to that extent is, therefore, not interfered with.

AS BEEN AT A DISTANCE.

An Alleged Had State of Affairs Among the Ohio Democrats.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—This evening's Star says: "In political circles here there is gossip to the effect that Ohio Democrats are not entirely harmonious upon all questions affecting the coming canvass. It seems that some of them think every effort should be concentrated to elect the State ticket, while others maintain that the Legislature would be more valuable to the party. Of course level-headed party leaders insist that Democrats shall do their duty to carry every office, without consideration of the State ticket, but it is said, have contributed to a division. One of the factions, it is stated, has decided to capture the Legislature and Senate for itself, and with this in view, has begun to set up legislative candidates. This has served to arouse within the opposition faction a suspicion that the State ticket might be traded off for votes for the legislative candidates."

Taken in Charge by His Friends.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Louis Romain, the insane man who raised such a row a few weeks ago on the Washburn train and wound up by killing officer Barrett, has been taken by relatives to Michigan.

A few days ago, after the jury in the county court having pronounced him insane, his lawyer tried to have him remanded to the care of his relatives, but the court peremptorily refused to do so and committed him to the State Hospital.

Dr. Kilbourne, who was retained to attend Romain to that institution, on the ground that he was not a citizen of Illinois, but belonged either in Colorado or Michigan. Romain's relations already claim he is sane, except on one point, that is his hallucination that somebody is after him all the time to hang him.

The Fall Mail Gazette at Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 18.—The various news agencies have given it out that they are to receive today several hundred copies of the Fall Mail Gazette, containing the London article. Inquiries at agencies developed the fact that each had orders for about 2,000 copies. A gentleman connected with one of the agencies says: "A company has been started to handle the matter. Not more than ten copies of the paper will arrive on these shores from England. Three of the papers are to be sent to this city from New York, and when they arrive five more copies will be stuck off as copies of the paper will be set up. The cost of plates will be considerable, but those who are in the scheme are confident of reaping a rich dividend."

General Grant.

Mr. McGowan, July 18.—General Grant slept less than usual last night, owing to the stifling closeness of the atmosphere, which rendered sleep well nigh impossible for the members of the General's family and others on the mountain. The patient was quiet and without pain and dozed much of the time, but did not enjoy his sound sleep until late, and then had only about four hours of solid sleep. His pulse this morning is about 80, and although he is feeling better as a result of loss of rest last night, shows little weakness. This morning he left his room at 6 o'clock and went to sit on the veranda in the morning breeze.

Heat and Nicker in New York.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The weather here today is sultry and close. The thermometer at noon was at ninety degrees. Up to that hour today six cases of sunstroke were reported. The Health Board reports this week that there were 1,017 deaths in the city against 870 in the corresponding week last year. Of this number 355 were from diarrheal diseases, and 613 were children under 5 years of age.

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